CARMEN SYLVA, POET AND QUEEN.

CRIMINAL PREDILECTIONS.

Auction Bridge is a silly game, Twill never prove a Path to Fame,

I like it; It keeps you up till late at night; To prove your partner wrong, you right,

You'll argue till you nearly fight,

Now, Cyclops was a great old guy, I like him. And though he only had one eye,

I like him. And while some folks were prone to pan, And called him a devilish looking man, As to his lamp, you don't see an

R. B.

A masquerade's a silly freak,

I like it: It makes one look just like a geek,

It makes one put on airy clothes,

That do a lot of one expose, Why one should do so no one knows,

TRIANGLE BEE.

This is a world unfair, unjust,

Ashes to ashes, dust to dust,"

Alas! we mortals here below Find that the world is full of woc, That Life is all awry-but Oh,

Decizens of this metropolis who are in the habit of reserving tables for Election Night should anticipate their celebration by four months. The large time for tumult and shouting will be the night the Republican nominee is chosen at Chicago. Election Night, 1916, won't be worth staying up until nine o'clock on ac-

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(W. A. Kennedy in the Parmington (Mo.) News.)

New York prides herself on having the most beautiful parks in the self. Brony park is the great zoo of the world. It contains 650 acres dis beautifully laid off in drives and walks. Here is to be seen every own animal, hird and reptile in the world. Riverview Drive is the land spot of the city. Here is where the Astors, Vanderbuts and the lasty spot of the city. Here is where the Astors, Vanderbuts and the lasty spot of the city live. The drive extends the entire length of ecity 20 v25 miles, and is along the banks of the Hudson river.

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here for years, ay that New York has the finest-looking and most polite is ever met. They are so friendly and nice to strangers, to are handsome, but nothing to compare with the men, her see a blonde lady here. All dark completted with black small in stature. They are not half as good looking as our

king my letter too long, but have told but little of the many things of interest that I have seen since coming here. Some of thes days I am coming home and it will take a good one to match the wonderful yarns that Kennedy will tell then.

Enloyers of the kind of parody that is creative criticism should know of Louis Untermeyer's "____ and Other Poets," just published (\$1.25 net) by Henry Holt & Co. Many of the poems in the book have graced this Pisa of Prosodies, and the volume is one nebody who loves or hates poetry should be without.

The estcemed publishing houses which were to combine on an edition of Bunner may have issued the edition, for all we know. This is in answer to many queries. Is-we ask these publishersthe edition out? If not, when will it be published?

THE DIARY OF OUR OWN SAMUEL PEPYS.

March 1-Up, and to my office, labouring there all day, what with this one coming in and that one, for no purpose soever. Yet are all these men so-called business men, and the kind who say of poets, Ah, they have no concept of the value of time. Came L. Graves the author, and had me out to dinner, and I had a dessert. called Pear Melba, which cost 35c, and was no great delicacy neither. To the playhouse and heard "The Road to Mandalay," maladroit assortment of songs and feeble jokes; and the music very sweet and commonplace. To an inn then, and had a lemon-squash, and thence home, more wearied than in a

2-I can not, it seemeth, emerge from my house early enough to have a walk. For a smuch as shaving and reading six of the publick prints taketh so much time that it is near noon when I get out; and I am then overanxious to be at my desk. With Will Johnston and K. Kiteren to luncheon, and much talk of journalistick matters. To my office, where I found J. McEvoy, the Chicago poet, and B. Pemberton, and R. Kirby. With H. Swope the pamphleteer to dinner, and to the office again for an hour, and so

"Delating," the Columbia Alumni News observes, "seems to be the Cinderella of Columbia activities. After nearly twenty years of a quiet and sometimes decidedly dead existence, it has suddenly kicked up its heels." Sounds more like the Phonix Antaus of

Mr. Willard is having difficulty making his t., t. s. flesh melt; Mr. Moran is rounding into condition; and hundreds of vicariously red-blooded gentlemen, who are sorry for the Belgians, but can't spare a cent, are worrying lest they may not be able to get \$10

Grim-visaged Gere hath smoothed his wrinkled front.

AS FOR THE MAGAZINES---

THE METROPOLITAN.

The world is full of slim girls, Beautiful, passionate and virginal. Clinging with moist lips Of neat, clean cut, masculine -collar advertisements . . .

Kiss me! Kiss me! THE COSMOPOLITAN.

On the other hand, The world is equally full Beautiful, passionate and virginal, inging with moist hands

Of neat but patently unscrupulous

The Chicago Tribune's proofroom will have its l. j. The Tribune

refers to Gertrude Atherton's "The Peach of the Devil." Commercial candor near Chatham Square: "Unapproachable

Coffee, 2c per cup."

Some morning, a day or two after the millennium, paragraphers and other commentators on the manifestations of life will decide that the garrulousness of the barber is a Busted Tradition. The barber, our experience has been, is the most taciturn of men; the customer is far more loquacious.

Paragraphers and comedians, in the millennium, may wake up to the knowledge that the jest about the disproportion between the doctor's service and his fee is also Old Stuff.

Still, in the millennium there will be no paragraphers.

CARMEN SYLVA DIES IN RUMANIA

Queen Elizabeth Survives Husband, King Charles, Sixteen Months.

WON WIDE RENOWN WITH HER POETRY

German Princess Held for Over Forty Years the Hearts of Her Adopted People.

Amsterdam, March 2.- The Downger Queen Elizabeth of Rumania cled at 7:30 n. m. to-day, according to a Bucharest dispatch. The funeral will take place on Sunday.

The Dowager Queen was under the treatment of three doctors, and about three weeks ago returned to Bucharest from Curtea de Arges, in Wallachia, where King Charles is buried. A week ago she fell ill, and inflammation of the lungs developed. Early yesterday there seemed to be a slight improve-ment, but soon the Queen became un-conscious, and died within a few hours. King Ferdinana and Queen Narie spent much time with the Dowager Queen during her last illness.

Queen Elizabeth of Rumania, known the world over under her pen-name of "Carmen Sylva," was born at Neuwied, in Rhenish Prussia, on December 29, 1843, receiving in baptism the names of Fauline-Elizabeth-Odile-Louise. Her father was Prince Herman of Wied, her mother Princess Marie of Nassau.

The future Queen was educated under the direct supervision of her father, a lover and student of literature, who succeeded in instilling and development of the Children of Charles I. Her husband died few weeks after the outbreak of the Great War.

HAS BEETHOVEN PROGRAMME NEWS OF PLAYS Queen Elizabeth of Rumania, known who succeeded in instilling and developing the same taste in her. It was this love of letters, thus early awakened, that led the child to apply herself assiduously to the study of forherself assiduously to the study of for-cign languages, French English and peror" Concerto and the Fifth Sym-Italian being but part of the linguistic phony composed last night's all-Buc-

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MISS MARIE DURYEE TO MARRY IN MAY

Her Engagement to the Vicomte Turkey Offered Him Post in Cab-Fal de Saint Rhalle Announced Yesterday.

Protestant Episcopal Cathedral at Bethlehem, Fenn. The officiating to his job as Ambassador to Turkey in clery men were the Right Rev. Ethelbert Talbot, Rishop of Bethlehem; the Right Rev. William Lawrence, Bishop of Massachusetta, who pronounced the things," he said. "I knew what it was Guide, to Hunt Horrors,

Mrs. Samuel Sioan Auchineloss, of high-class diplomat, who had to look nounced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Marie G. Duryee, grand-daughter of the late Charles Guidet, to viconte Fal de Saint Phalle, on of the Conte and Comtesse Plurie de Saint Phalle, on of the Conte and Comtesse Plurie de Saint Phalle, on of the Conte and Comtesse Plurie de Saint Phalle is a member of the New York Stock Exchange and of the firm of Gode, Winmill & Co. He returned respectively from France, where he had seen and the diplomacy of the Near East," Cleventy from France, where he had seen and the diplomacy of the Near East, "Cleventy from France, where he had seen and the diplomacy of the Near East," Cleventy from France, where he had seen and the diplomacy of the Near East, "Cleventy from France, where he had seen and the diplomacy of the Near East," Cleventy from France, where he had seen and the diplomacy of the other speaker at the content of the diplomacy of the Near East, "Cleventy from France, where he had seen a whirly from France, where

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pronounced the to be a member of numerous boards of directors. I knew how to lis en to what each man had to say, and not let him know what the previous speaker had is spensoring a bill forbidding the

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of Short Hills, N. J., and Frederick S.
Was some one from the Jewish community,
of the Low Rents Society; Mrs. Josephine Redding, Mrs. O. H. Cheney and
Mrs. F. Robertson Jones, members of
the Women's Manisonal Language. present at the wedding and the recention which followed at Sherry's. Dean Beckman and his bride will live at South Bethlehem, Penn.

Mrs. Samuel Sloan Auchincloss, of 114 East Eighty-fourth Street, has an high-class diplomat, who had to look

VASSAR GIRLS TO PAY \$5 ONLY FOR BOUQUET

-\$10,000 Endowment Pledged.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., March 2.- Goodday this year decorated with more than five dollars' worth of flowers. Probably her fellows will bring action against her for perjury, for each member of the class promised upon oath OFTEN CALLED SULTAN to-day not to spend more than that

TO THE TELEPHONE sion.
While eliminating this expense, the While eliminating this expense, the young women took upon themselves another dest by pledging \$10,000 to the million-dollar endowmen: fund. This is to be paid in by Oct-ber 1, 1917. Some of the seniors will turn over to the class a certain percentage of the salaries they earn after gradu-

Margaret Auchmuty Mackay. Henry Mergenthau told 1,400 mem.

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ley as Guide, to Hunt Horrors. A slumming party limited to cellars